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**RESPONSE UNDER C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
ART UNIT 1648**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Peter J. Sims, Therese Wiedmer, and Robert H. Silverman

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For: "PHOSPHOLIPID SCRAMBLASES AND METHODS AND USES THEREOF"

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on February 25, 2003, please amend the application as follows. Submitted with this Amendment and Response is a Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the period for response two months, to and including July 25, 2003, a Request for Continued Examination, and a Power of Attorney and Revocation of Prior Powers. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$580.00, the fee for a two month extension of time and a Request for Continued Examination, to Deposit Account No. 50-1868.

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It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1868.